

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A method of surgery, comprising:
forming a hole in a bone, the hole having an entrance;
intersecting the hole with a flexible strand positioned
transverse to the hole;
5 diverting a portion of the strand out through the hole entrance;
engaging a graft with the diverted portion of the strand; and
pulling a portion of the graft with the strand into the hole.
2. The method of claim 1, further comprising the step of
securing the graft in the hole using a transverse implant.
3. The method of claim 2, wherein the implant is cannulated,
the method further comprising the step of guiding the implant using the
strand.
4. The method of claim 1, wherein the step of forming a hole
comprises forming a socket that is closed at one end.
5. The method of claim 1, wherein the step of diverting the
strand comprises forming a loop in the strand outside the entrance to the
hole.
6. The method of claim 1, wherein the step of diverting the
strand into the transverse tunnel comprises engaging the strand with a hook.
7. The method of claim 6, further comprising the step of
inserting the hook into the hole.

8. The method of claim 7, wherein the hook is inserted into the prior to intersecting the hole with the strand.

9. The method of claim 5, further comprising the steps of:
opening a junction in the strand loop outside the entrance to the hole to form two free ends;

5 reforming the loop by reattaching the two free ends so as to capture a graft within the reformed loop.

10. A surgical method, comprising the steps of:
forming a hole in bone, the hole having an entrance;
inserting a hook having an eye into the hole;
drilling a guide pin through the bone so as to intersect the
5 socket, the guide pin passing through the eye of the hook;
drawing a wire through the bone using the guide pin;
diverting a loop in the wire out through the entrance to the hole using the hook;
capturing a tendon graft with the loop in the wire;
10 retracting the wire so as to draw the graft into the hole; and
securing the graft within the hole.

11. The method of claim 10, wherein the step of securing the graft comprises engaging the graft using a transverse implant.

12. The method of claim 10, wherein the step of securing the graft comprises advancing the implant through a loop in the graft.